

(b) Whether they are also aware that the quality and quantity of food stuffs served in these hotels and restaurants are not commensurate with the high prices charged for them ;

(c) What action Government proposes to take in this behalf ?

SMR. B. E. VAZ (Minister for Food and Civil Supplies).—

(a) Yes.

(b) Yes.

(c) The representatives of the Hoteliers have been persuaded to reduce the rates of eatables and meals served in hotels and restaurants.

Allotment of Quarters to Officials of Bangalore Dairy

675. **SRI M. S. KRISHNAN (Malleswaram).—** Will the Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry be pleased to state:—

(a) the total number of Bangalore Dairy Quarters available and how they are allotted ;

(b) how many quarters were vacant and how they are filled up since the present Director took charge till the end of January 1976?

SRI N. CHIKKE GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry).—

(a) 122. They are allotted on the basis of the requirement of various Officers and Officials on essential service.

(b) 86. They were filled up taking into account the recommendation made by the Advisory House Allotment Committee, as well as the need for staff on essential service.

Calling Attention to Matters of Urgent Public Importance

(i) **Re: Opening of Government Homoeopathic Colleges in the State**

SRI K. R. SRINIVASALU NAIDU (Shanthi Nagar).—I call the attention of the Minister for Health to the opening of Government Homeopathic Colleges with a view to improve efficiency of homeopathic education.

SRI. SUBHASH ASTHUR (Minister of state for Major and Medium Irrigation) [on behalf of the Hon'ble Minister for Health] I wish to state as follows.—Prior to September 1974, Correspondance Courses in Homoeopathy were available in the State. As it was found that the correspondence courses were not providing enough instruction about the proper use of the Homoeopathic medicines they were prohibited in the State on the 28th September 1974. Meanwhile, in

the year 1969, the first Homoeopathic College run by a private organisation at Belgaum was recognised by Government. Subsequently the following three Colleges run by Private parties were recognised by Government.

<i>Name of the place</i>		<i>Year of recognition</i>
Bangalore	—	1970
Hubli	—	1971
Dharwar	—	1972

The period of recognition of these Colleges is due to expire at the end of June 1975. Prior to the recognition of these colleges, the examinations were conducted by the authorities of the respective Colleges. In order to regularise the education, Government constituted a Court of Examiners under section 16 of the Homoeopathic Practitioners Act 1961 for the first time in Government order No. HMA 303 PIM 72 dated the 8th September 1972. Since, the term of the Court of Examiners was over, it was re-constituted in G. O. No. HMA 96 PIM 75 dated 16th April 1975. The same body will continue for one more year.

Starting of a Government Homoeopathic Medical College.

In Government order No. H M A 180 P I M 70 dated the 20th November 1970 sanction was accorded to the starting of a Government Homeopathic College at Bangalore at an initial expenditure of Rs. 35,620. However, the College could not be started due to some technical difficulties. Since an independent Director for the Department of Indian Systems of Medicine and Homeopathy, has been appointed and the Department is being reorganised, Government will examine afresh the possibility of starting a Homeopathic College.

Nearly 100 Homeopathic Students are coming out from private Homeopathic colleges every year. These colleges are getting grant-in-aid as per rules. With a view to improving the standards, Government are considering the question of enhancement of the grants-in-aid as per recommendations of Dr. Melkote.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಆರ್. ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸುಲು ನಾಯ್ಡು.—ಮಾನ್ಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರೇ, ಅಪರ ಉತ್ತರದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿರುವ ಹಾಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿ ವರ್ಷವೂ 100 ಜನ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಬರುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಪಾನಿಗಿ ಹೋಮಿಯೋಪಥಿಕ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳು ನಾಲ್ಕು ಇವೆ; ಹೋಮಿಯೋಪಥಿಕ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಆಕ್ಸ್‌ಪಾಸ್ ಅಗಿ ಇಷ್ಟು ವರ್ಷಗಳಾದರೂ ಕೂಡ ಗರ್ನ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಈ ಸಾರಿ ಹೋಮಿಯೋಪಥಿಕ್ ಫೌಂಡರ್ 221ನೇ ವರ್ಷ, ಈ ಸಾರಿಯಾದರೂ ಏರ್ಪಡವಾಗಿ ನರ್ಕಾರದ ವೇಯಿಂದ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆಂದು ಅಸ್ಥಾನನೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೀರಾ?